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Deputy Revenue Commissioner Bobby Lenihan Announces Retirement

ATLANTA—Robert J. “Bobby” Lenihan, Jr., Deputy Revenue Commissioner, announced today that he intends to retire effective January 31, 2006. He will remain the Department’s Legislative Liaison until March 31, 2006.

“Bobby’s institutional knowledge has been of tremendous value to me since my arrival in June 2003. I am very appreciative that he elected to stay and assist in the continued evolution of the Department,” said Revenue Commissioner Bart L. Graham.

Mr. Lenihan’s career with the Department will have spanned 35 years and six Revenue Commissioners upon his January retirement. He began his career with the Department as a Revenue Special Investigator in 1971. From 1976 to 1995, he served as Executive Assistant to three Revenue Commissioners.

In 1995, Mr. Lenihan was appointed Assistant Commissioner and served in that capacity until 2002 when he was appointed Deputy Revenue Commissioner. He served as Acting State Revenue Commissioner early in Governor Sonny Perdue’s administration.

For more than two decades, Mr. Lenihan has been the Department’s liaison to the State’s executive and legislative branches as well as the Internal Revenue Service.

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